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WASHINGTON NATIONAL GUARD PRESENTS PROGRAM FOR YOUTH

'Youth Today - Career Tomorrow'

The Washington Army National Guard's newest recruit, Sheryl Chaney, 9502 119th St. S.W., Tacoma, lends a helping hand to her brother, Eugene Blake, in preparation for the "Youth Today, Career Tomorrow" free recreation and career program at Camp Murray.

Camp Murray -- Applicants are still being accepted from high school Junior and Senior boys who wish to participate in "Youth Today-Career Tomorrow", a free one-week recreation and career summer program sponsored by the Washington Army National Guard, service clubs and firms throughout the state and the Pierce County Manpower Planning Office.

Some 200 young men are expected to take part in two one-week segments August 18-31 at Camp Murray. The program will include camping, trips on landing craft in Puget Sound, helicopter trips to Yakima Firing Center, rifle familiarization and firing, tank and track vehicle rides, and sports. The young men will eat army chow, including C rations.

"This program is designed to offer the high school senior an opportunity to build physical skills and acquire a better understanding of career potentials," according to Maj. Gen. Howard S. McGee, adjutant general.

"The civilian community and military will jointly provide a unique beneficial service for the entire State of Washington," McGee said. "We in the National Guard are extremely proud of the relationship with communities around the state."

The Pierce County Manpower Planning Office is providing $3,500 to sponsor 100 youths. National Guard units, service clubs and firms are providing the additional funds. The Regular Army is lending fatigues and other clothing needs.

Graduation ceremonies will be held at the Capitol in Olympia, with Gov. Dan Evans and Rep. Mike Parker of Tacoma speaking. Certificates will be awarded.

Plans call for an expansion of the program to include junior and senior girls next year.

Junior and senior boys who wish to apply for this year's program may write CW3 Donald B. Mathis, Youth Today--Career Tomorrow, Camp Murray, Tacoma, WA 98430 or telephone Tacoma 552-3811.

Rat Patrol Back in Neighborhood

The trash clean-up team from Environmental Health has been back in the Model Neighborhood this summer clearing away trash where rats might breed.

The program was started by Model Cities and has now been expanded citywide with revenue sharing funds.

During the summer the project has sprayed 1,820 gallons of weed killer on 304 lots and residences in the neighborhood. Forty-five residences have received the debris pick-up service. About 32,000 pounds of trash have been hauled to the Tacoma dump in the last few weeks.

For information about the pick-up service, call 593-4767.

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David enlisted in the service May 24, 1974 and took his six weeks basic training at Tackland A. F. B. in San Antonio, Texas. He is now going to school in training for Air Traffic Control at Keester A. F. B. in Biloxi, Mississippi.

David is a '72 graduate from Lincoln High School. David's advice to all young men graduating from Sr. high school is if you can't make up your mind what you want to do, join some branch of the service.

'Sophisticated 5' Say Thanks

The "Sophisticated 5" would like to take this opportunity to extend its heartfelt gratitude to all the musicians, helpers and friends who banded together August 4th, to bring something different to the citizens of Tacoma; The Annual All Bands Picnic.

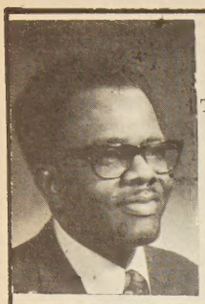
It was our first attempt at bringing you the prominent bands here, for your entertainment and listening pleasure.

We hope when you see the name "Sophisticated 5" on a poster or ticket, you will automatically think "here's a good time", as our main aim is to present the unusual, the extraordinaire, the fantastic.

For those of you who may not know, all music was donated free of charge, with a generosity unknown before. So keep your eyes open, we'll be doing "the good time" again soon, and all you have to do to find it is ask Billy Jones, Cris Washington, Elaine Tony, Ruth or Diane Henderson, Connie Smallwood, or me, Cheri Lewis. "Where's the Party"?

Special

INSIDE TODAY'S ISSUE OF THE TACOMA FACTS YOU WILL FIND A SPECIAL "PULL OUT" SECTION WHICH IS CHOCK FULL OF INFORMATION OF INTEREST TO THOSE WHO ARE GOING "BACK-TO-SCHOOL"...AND LOTS OF OTHER PEOPLE, TOO. LOOK FOR THIS SECTION INSIDE, FOLLOWING PAGE 4.



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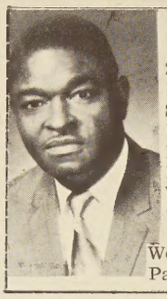

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Congress Agrees on Community Development Bill

A Congressional conference committee has agreed on a comprehensive housing-community development bill which would replace programs such as Model Cities and Urban Renewal.

The bill will appropriate $8.6 billion for block grants to be used for activities similar to Model Cities, Urban Renewal, open spaces, water-sewer grants, neighborhood development, public facility loans, and advance land acquisition. If the bill is signed by the President, funds are expected to be available by January, 1975. The bill also includes a $11.3 billion allocation for housing programs.

The intent of the new legislation is to give the cities, counties, and states a lump sum, or block grant, for all community development programs and to let the local governments decide where the funds are needed the most. For the next three years, cities will receive an amount equal to what they have been receiving under the individual programs. Funds will be distributed by a formula based on population and extent of poverty.

Part of the guaranteed funding level has been set aside for Model Cities programs which have not completed five years to do so. Preliminary reports have not indicated whether funds must be spent in the Model Neighborhood or not have been released yet.

The bill requires that any social programs funded from community development monies must support the major physical improvement programs. Congress did not set a percentage of the funds which can be used for social programs, but it did specify that all potential sources of funding must be exhausted before community development funds can be used for social programs.

Congress has also placed the responsibility for environmental impact statements on the local governments.

In Tacoma the city continues to study the consolidation of the Model Cities and Urban Renewal programs into the new Department of Housing and Community Development. The new department will administer the community development funds as they become available. The emphasis of the department will be housing, community development, and economic development.

Meditation

I believe in the sacredness of a promise, that a man's word should be as good as his bond; that character—not wealth or power or position—is of supreme worth.

Black Forum News

With Bill Gilven and Virginia Taylor presiding as co-chairpersons, the Black Forum had as its guests on Friday, August 9, 1974, Ray Corpuz, Jr., and some members of his staff. Mr. Corpuz, Director of Tacoma's Manpower Planning Council, provided the group with information pertaining to general and special revenue sharing and acquainted those persons in attendance with the areas in which program proposals are being accepted for manpower funds. He stated that any proposal submitted should conform to the guidelines developed for work experience, on-the-job-training and institutional training programs.

Mr. Corpuz and his staff members answered questions related to the city's involvement in the management of social service programs, the procedures developed by the city for awarding sub-contracts under revenue sharing, the extent of citizen participation in the program planning processes and the eligibility of state institutions for public employment program positions.

Mr. Gilven and Ms. Taylor are encouraging each citizen in the Black community to attend the Black Forum meetings. They state that important issues relative to improving the social, educational, physical and political status of Blacks are discussed each week, and they believe that sharing information in these areas would be quite beneficial to all.

The weekly Black Forum meetings are held each Friday in the conference room of the Esquire Restaurant, 1519 Broadway, from 5:30 p.m. until 7:30 p.m. On Friday, August 16th, Ms. Novella Ransom will chair the meeting and will have some of the political candidates as guests. Let's check the Forum out to see how beneficial it is to citizens of the Black community.

Letters to the Editor

When entering high school I think that you should have a positive attitude. You should be ready and willing to get your education. Do your best - put all you've got into it. A lot of people are not even thinking about school, they are too busy going to parties or talking on the phone. I mean, there is a time to go to parties but school comes first. You should put school in front of your other activities. I bet if you went up to a teenager and asked them what they wanted to become in the future they would have to think twice before answering. Now is the time to think about what you want to be. Plan ahead of yourself. Without a high school education you have nothing. You can't get a decent job. Your sophomore year is an important year of your life. It determines where you are headed in the future. Your grades should always be kept up. Having high grades is a necessity for getting a scholarship. In order to get the education you need and to become what your goal is, is to know yourself and what you want. So, when beginning your sophomore year you should go in head-strong.

Barbara Henderson
Sophomore - Bellermine
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THE FACTS—SPORTS SCENE

Sports Record Book

by Brian Jaybush

They've Gotta Be Kidding

Well, sports fans, the North American Soccer League season is over. And, if you haven't heard by now, Seattle's Sounders are not taking part in the playoffs.

How could that be? you ask. They only lost seven games all season! They have the fifth highest point total in the league! They're one of only six teams to score 100 or more points! They're the only team to score over 100 points that isn't in the playoffs! (While Boston, which scored only 94, IS in the playoffs!)

They've gotta be kidding, right?

Wrong. As usual in sports, Seattle has gotten the short end of the stick. The reason: the insipient, rediculous scoring system used by the NASL.

For winning a game, a team receives 6 points. If it is a tie-win--that is, a game ends in a tie and has to be decided by a tie-breaking period--the "winning" team gets 3 points. OK, that's fair and good.

But each team also gets up to three points per game for scoring goals--win or lose.

Under this system, a team can lose a game by say, 4-3. The winning team will pick up 9 points (six for the win, plus the maximum of 3 for goals scored). The losing team ALSO picks up 3 points.

Those points can be--have been--the difference between good teams making the playoffs and mediocre teams making the playoffs. Case in point: Seattle finished with a 13-7 record and 101 points. San Jose finished with a 12-8 record--and 103 points.

San Jose won 9 games outright, for 54 points. They came out on top in 3 tie games, for 9 more points. That should be a total of 63, right?

Seattle, meanwhile, won 10 games outright (60 points) while picking up 9 points from tie-wins. That should be 69 points, right? So why is San Jose in the playoffs and not Seattle?

Because the Sounders scored two less goals than the Earthquake.

That's like saying, well, the Mets scored more runs than Oakland in last year's World Series, so they should have won the Series. Ignoring the fact that Oakland won 4 games while the Mets only won 3.

I suppose it wouldn't bother me so much, except for the fact that almost 15,000 Sounder fans poured out to see Seattle beat Vancouver last Sunday, to make Seattle's season-final attendance figure over 14,000 per game, one of, if not the best attendance record in the league.

Meanwhile, Seattle's fans deserve a lot better than the rest of the sports world seems to want to give them.

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THE FACTS—COMMUNITY NEWS

BOAT CRUISE

Don't forget the R.J. Garner Cap & Gown Club boat cruise Sunday Aug. 18th, 1974. Will start loading on the Harbor Queen at 5:30 pm.

The cruise will be from 6:00 pm until 10 pm, come along aboard and let's have fun, plenty of good food and other goodies. Our Queen candidate for 1975, Evangeline Bostic will be your hostess for the evening. Place of loading is 2313 Ruston Way, Tacoma. Will see you at the boat.

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PRISONERS CAUCUS HOLDS BLACK AWARENESS DAY

On Saturday, August 24th, between the hours of 10:00 a.m. and 3:30 p.m. the Black Prisoners Caucus will host it's annual Black Awareness Day Program. It will feature "Just Us" from Seattle. Also there will be a fashion show by "Ependo" an African Dance Group (incidentally, who are from Africa), a Gospel show - the "Gloryland Group Singers", a soul food dinner and much much more. The program is free of charge, but donations are needed. To find out more please contact Barbara White of Adult Offender Outreach Program. Phone number BR2-9386. Help make this annual event a memorable one for the Brothers.

PSYCHOLOGISTS have discovered that we think with words. We don't have the thoughts first and then seek for words to express them. We have to have the words first; then we can think the thoughts.

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Tacoma Group to Host State Executive

The Tacoma Citizens Affirmative Action Committee (CAAC) will host Mr. Thurman Edmondson, Acting Executive Secretary of the Washington State Human Rights Commission. The meeting will be held at the Black Businessmen Association, 2106 South "J" Street, on August 17, 1974, beginning at 10:30 a.m.

The purpose of this meeting will be for Mr. Edmondson to address himself to concerns of the CAAC membership.

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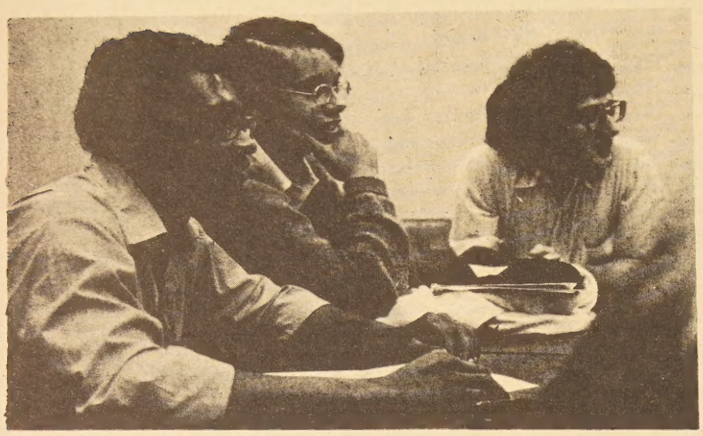

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Everywhere you look on our campus, Evergreen is on the move because its people--students, faculty, staff--aren't spectators; they're active, dedicated individuals who are determined to do something that needs to be done in higher education. We're moving ahead with our task and we welcome others to join us.

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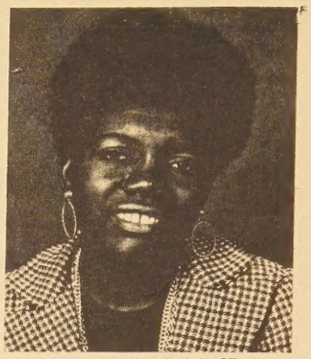
Affirmative Action

Evergreen's Board of Trustees on April 18 adopted an Equal Opportunity Policy and Affirmative Action Program designed within ten years to increase substantially the numbers of non-whites and women among the ranks of faculty, staff, and student body.

The action also assigned a wide range of responsibilities to college officers--in the words of the document--" to overcome and prevent the effects of systemic institutional discrimination and benign neutrality in employment and educational practices."

Rindetta Jones, formerly an adviser in the Educational Opportunities Program and a part-time instructor at Central Washington State College, serves as general coordinator Affirmative Action Officer in March of 1974.

Following is the Equal Opportunity Policy and Affirmative Action Program now in effect at Evergreen, replacing a policy first adopted in 1972:



Rindetta Jones, Affirmative Action Officer

The Equal Opportunity Policy of The Evergreen State College requires that its faculty, administration, staff, students, and persons who develop programs at the college; and all contractors, individuals and organizations who do business with the college; comply with the letter and spirit of all federal, state, and local equal employment opportunity statutes and regulations.

The college expressly prohibits discrimination against any person on the basis of race, sex, age, religion, national origin, or physical disability (except where physical disability is a bona fide occupational qualification). This policy requires recruiting, hiring, training, and promoting persons in all job categories without regard to race, sex, age, religion, national origin, or physical disability (except where physical disability is a bona fide occupational qualification). All decisions on employment and promotion must utilize only valid job-related requirements.

The college requires: that all personnel actions such as compensation, benefits, transfers, layoffs, return from layoff, college sponsored training, education, tuition assistance, social and recreation programs; and that all student recruiting and admissions, student services (such as financial aid, placement, counseling, housing, student activities, physical recreation), and facilities usage, be administered without discrimination based on race, sex, age, religion, national origin, or physical disability (except where physical ability is a bona fide occupational qualification).

The Evergreen State College is committed to an affirmative action program--a goal-oriented program through which it makes specific additional efforts to recruit, hire, train, and promote non-whites and women; and to recruit, admit, and educate non-white and women students. The affirmative action program is designed to overcome and prevent the effects of systemic institutional discrimination and benign neutrality in employment and educational practices. The college will take affirmative action to solicit bids on goods and services contracts from non-white and women vendors and contactors.

The college's Affirmative Action Office has responsibility for preparing the college's affirmative action program, including procedures for reporting and monitoring.

Each employee's support and implementation of this policy will be evaluated during employee performance evaluations.

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Internships, contract studies, placement workshops, interdisciplinary programs, portfolios, non-traditional - these terms are part of the latest valid trends in higher education. The Evergreen State College, Washington's newest four-year state college, is one of the nation's educational leaders as this trend moves forward.

Evergreen employs an approach to higher education that emphasizes two basic modes of study - interdisciplinary studies and contract studies. Each year, the college offers an entirely new set of programs in each of the two modes. This fall, the college offered such interdisciplinary programs as "Community and Individual Health Problems: A Scientific Approach for Non-White Students," "Life Styles and Occupations," "Minority Economic Development," "Public Information and Minority Affairs," "American Black Literature," "Studies in Capitalism," "Stereotyping through Literature," "International Film and Television Production," "Marx and The Third World," "Toward Humane Technospheres," "Chinese Civilization," "Toward Humanistic Management of Organizations," "Pacific Northwest: People on the Land," "Lawmakers and Lawbreakers," and many others.

"Lawmakers and Lawbreakers" is a prime example of the interdisciplinary approach. The student pursues this program in the company of approximately 80 other students and five faculty persons for the entire academic year. The program will involve sociology, psychology, criminology, penology, corrections, history as it relates to the law and to crime, and political science. This program should be invaluable to students interested in beginning to study for careers in law, law enforcement, corrections, and other related fields. The study is done in small seminar groups,and intership experience is heavily involved. Other interdisciplinary programs use similar formats.

The contract mode is useful to the student who has had some experience in higher education and who has identified a more specific field in which he wishes to study. Examples of such programs are many because individual interests are so varied. A few examples are: "Ethnomusicology," "Ethics and Society: Preparation for Life in Post-Watergate America," "The Politics of Civil Liberties," "Neurophysiology," "Dynamic Systems," "Photo Expression," "Multi-National Corporations," "The New Globalism," and, again, many others.

The contract mode involves a group or an individual working out a contract with a faculty sponsor. That contract outlines the books to be read, the projects to be completed, the internships to be performed, the papers to be written, and the hours of faculty direction and consultation to be offered. Here the faculty is the guide and the resource person, and the student is the learner working on his own or with a small group.

The emphasis inherant in these styles of education is obviously on the **individual**-individual small study groups, individual tutorials, individual evaluation sessions, internships, individual placement counseling, individual academic counseling - the faculty and staff know the student and <u>care</u>.

Evergreen has received its full accreditation by the Commission on Higher Schools of the Northwest Association of Secondary and Higher Schools, one of the few times any American institution of higher learning has been so honored in only its third year of operation.

Some of the Commission's comments reveal their perception of the close student/faculty relationship and the academic climate that exists on the campus.

--"The spirit and morale of both faculty and students at Evergreen are surprisingly high, even for a new and innovative college."

--"Evergreen students seem to be unusually busy, interested, and personally involved in their own learning. The college's ways of emphasizing students' responsibility for their own learning appear to have evoked authentic self-motivation in most students whom we met or observed."

--"...students seem to learn important skills of analysis, criticism, and cooperative educational planning early in their Evergreen careers."

--"Faculty/student relations at Evergreen are remarkably open, friendly, and direct, yet they seem to be focused largely on the content and process of students' learning. The college-wide organization for intensive faculty/student contact seems to allow a very effective use of teaching time, and to encourage academic advising relationships that probably are rivaled on very few public campuses."

--"The committee was impressed by the high intellectual caliber, imagination, and personal commitments to teaching of the faculty members with whom we talked."

--"We also found at Evergreen an unusually serious emphasis on thorough evaluation of each year's educational programs. Faculty, students, and administration participate in openly planned, new educational ventures and in the periodic assessment of their results to a degree unknown at most colleges."

--"We found the physical condition of Evergreen's campus clean, cheerful, and well-kept, a compliment to the college community's respect for its environs and to the effectiveness of its maintenance staff."

The Evergreen State College is still accepting applications for admission and for financial aid from non-white students and will continue to do so until mid-September. Housing is available on campus and nearby in dorms and apartments. The College is especially seeking applications from non-white students who have made a decision to take care of business. In most cases, the College is more interested in how seriously the studeni has considered himself as relating to Evergreen's programs and how committed he is to learning than it is in his previous academic record.

If you think Evergreen might be the way for you, please drive or bus down to Olympia, talk to us in Admissions, talk to the Non-White Coalition, and let either one or both of us give you a tour of the campus. Then decide. We're looking for you.

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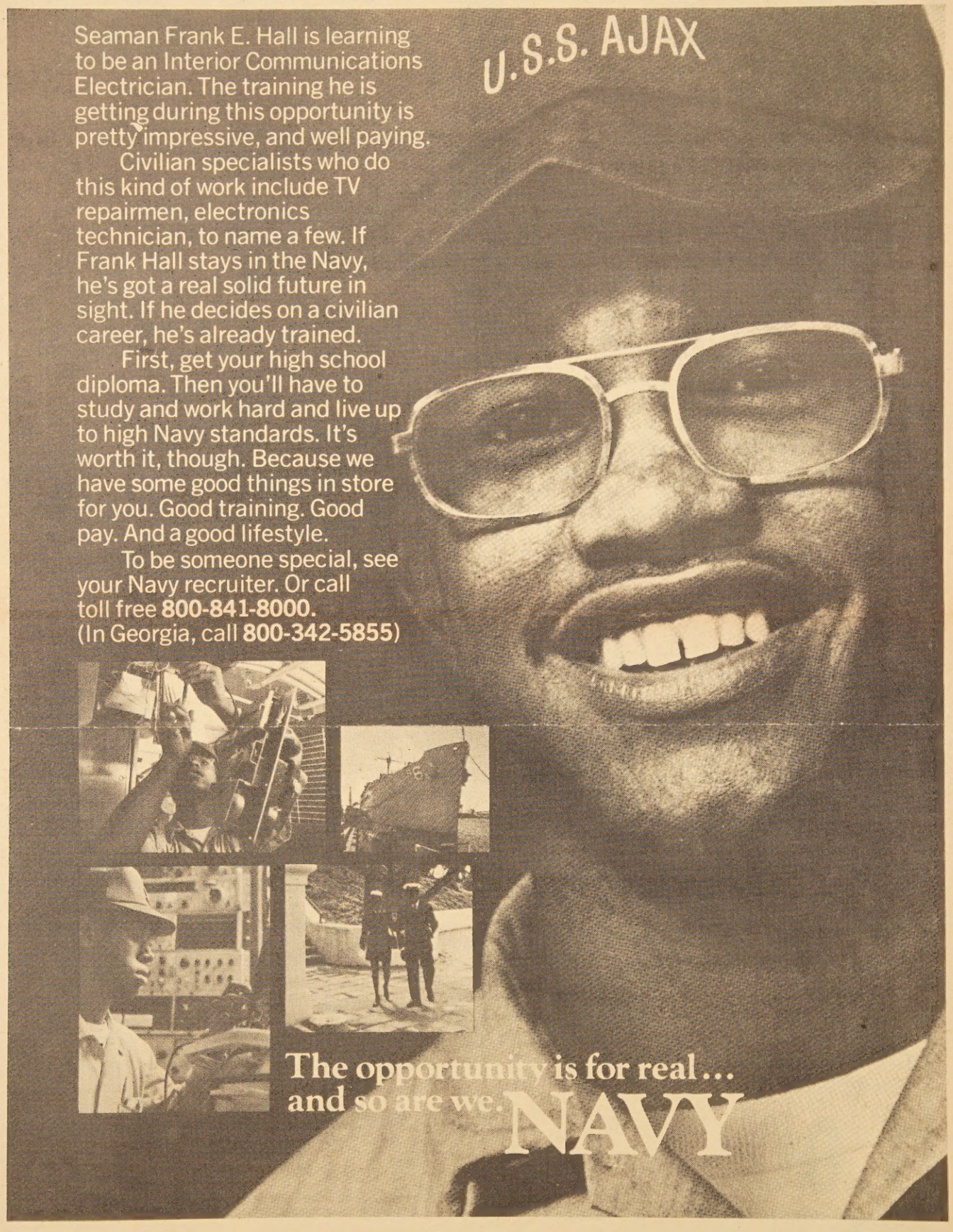
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Monument to Black Educator Mary Mc Leod Bethune Unveiled in D.C.

Picture Collage of the Mary Mc. Leod Behtune Memorial Ceremonies

A monument to Mary McLeod Bethune was unveiled before thousands in Washington, D.C. on July 10. The dedication and unveiling ceremonies began three days of "celebration" activities, the culmination of fourteen years of work by the National Council of Negro Women and its national president, Dr. Dorothy Height. The monument is the first to honor a Black American, or a woman of any race, on public land in the nation's capital. Pictured are: (top) the Mary McLeod Bethune Memorial; (bottom left) Miss Dorothy Height, President of N.C.N.W., introducing Robert Berks (left), sculptor of the Bethune Memorial, to the Mayor of Washington, D.C., the Honorable Walter Washington (Mayor Washington proclained July 10 Mary McLeod Bethune Day in Washington); (bottom, upper-right) Speaker of the House Carl Albert, Congresswoman Shirley Chisholm, Vice President Gerald Ford, and Miss Height, preparing to address the crowd at the ceremony which took place on the steps of the Capitol following the dedication ceremonies; (bottom-right) Miss Nikki Giovanni, poetess, and Miss Cicely Tyson, actress, leaving the dedication ceremonies enroute to the "Peoples Celebration March", a parade which featured forty-five marching units. Grand Marshalls for the Parade were Miss Tyson, Miss Giovanni, Larry Brown of the Washington Redskins, Betty Shabazz, and Roscoe Lee Brown.

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School Board Has Busy Summer Preparing for Fall

Summer is the traiditonal vacation time for school students and teachers. However, the seven-member School Board saw little slackening in their busy meeting and action schedule.

Even though school is out, the regular daily business of operating the District continues. Monthly bills must be paid and contracts authorized. Summer is an active time for purchasing and distribution of supplies.

There also is a good deal of planning for the coming school year. This summer, the Board faced several major concerns: the proposed consolidation of several elementary schools and long-range facilities planning; negotiations with several employee organizations including the certified staff; drafting and adoption of a final budget; and study and revision of the District's desegragation planning.

Board members--who serve staggered six-year terms--recieve no salary for thier work, even though the voluntary "part-time" positions consume as much as 15 to 20 hours per week in meetings and study.

Schools Rely on Volunteers for Many Services

Hundreds of individuals in the Seattle community become directly involved in the education of students in our schools each year through the Volunteer Services Program.

Volunteers perform all kinds of helpful tasks for schools, according to Virginia Bigelow, Coordinator of Volunteer Services. "We really would like to increase our ranks of volunteers even more this year," she said.

The Volunteer Coordinator added that the School District gives training to the volunteers prior to their beginning work. First, the District offers a general orientation session and then follows that with specific training in certain volunteer areas such as tutoring.

The amount of time spent in schools by volunteers varies from a few hours a week to almost a **daily service** basis.

Mothers of school children make up the largest group of volunteers, according to Ms. Bigelow. However, there is a growing number of university students and retired men and women.

"We'd really like to encourage more men to take part in school programs through Volunteer Services", she said. "We want youngsters to be exposed to many different adults during their school years. We've found that everyone has something to offer to the students."

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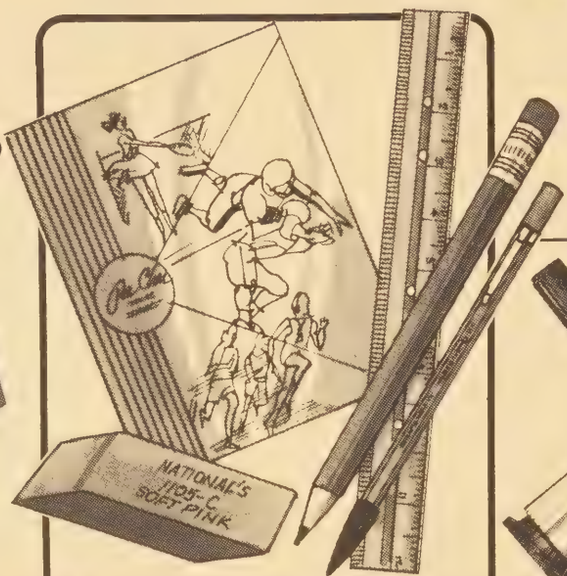

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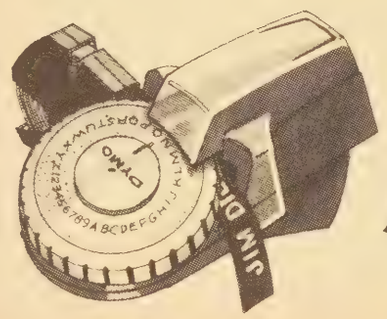

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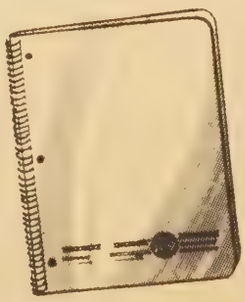

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THE FACTS—ENTERTAINMENT

Boogie Down Tacoma

by Spencer L. Sears

Coming on like the coming on "Jonah's Whale" played to a super packed house at Branch Three NCO at Ft. Lewis. There were 700 hundred people to check out the hottest band in the Northwest. "Luv" got down, down, down at the Egyptian's 13th Anniversary at the Rodeway Inn Saturday night! The Masons really know how to put it together to the bone. "Masterpiece" is doing it so hard that the people are demanding more dance room in the Esquire. "Tee McGee and the Rapid Pulsations" did it to death at the Caballeros. "Ready Made Family" was really having fun in the Bay Area. "Magnum" was super bad this week also. "Che Che" was at the Malcolm X Center.

All right, all right! Tacoma, you say you want something new, well check this out! " "Wild man" Ron Thomas presents Midnite Special all on one stage. The Northwest's hottest bands, the sensational "Jonah's Whale", "Essence" and "360 Degrees" and to put the icing on the cake, "Che Che" will be there alive and kicking, playing what you and yours want to hear. Don't miss this dynamic show for the first time in Tacoma. Doors will be open at 10:00 p.m., and LADIES, how about this? If you get there before 11:00 o'clock admission is two for the price of one. At 11:05 the price will be $2.50 per person and $4.00 per couple. Now people who want to come late and still party, Midnite Special will end at 4:00 a.m. Brother Clarence Pettit will be providing the food until 4:30 a.m. So now Tacoma, you have no problem, so get ready and make Midnite Special at the Am Vet's Hall, 38th and South Tacoma Way. This is a Northwest Consultants Production.

"Che Che" will be at the Eastside Youth Center on August 16 from 2:00 p.m. until 4:00 p.m.

The Upendo Club is having a dance at the Hyatt House on August 31, 1974. President Lela Dacus said it is going to be 'super funky'.

"King Arthur Noles" is back on Sundays at the Caballeros, so it is jumping to the 'max'. "Masterpiece" is at the Esquire. "Luv" will be at the New Heritage House from 13 to 18.

For gospel lovers the "Voices of St. John" will be having their 18th Anniversary on Sunday August 18, 1974 at St. John's Church, 3:00 p.m.

You can bet your last money there is always something going on for you, Keep reading the FACTS and stay informed!

Fantastic Black Facts

by Rose Marie Johnson

The first black mayor of Los Angeles.

On July 1, 1973, former City Councilman and ex-policeman Thomas Bradley became the first black mayor of Los Angeles, defeating three-term incumbent Sam Yorty in a dramatic reversal of Bradley's unsuccessful 1969 campaign.

A moderate liberal, cool and conscientious, he had spent most of his adult life concerned with law and city government. During the years he served as councilman for Los Angeles' racially mixed 10th district he proposed a number of changes he felt would improve the city's police department. Bradley's 1973 campaign was based on his image of moderation and a theme of government responsive to social change. His issues included a sorely needed rapid transit system, environmental protection, curtailment of city growth, law and order, and finally Mayor Yorty's much publicized absenteeism. This time--unlike in 1969--Mayor Yorty's racial alarmism missed the mark. The voters vindicated Bradley's 1969 decision to try again "not for personal reasons, but to put down the theory that black men can't win."

Thomas Bradley was born Dec. 29, 1917, on a cotton plantation in the small town of Calvert, Texas. When he was seven his parents settled in Los Angeles, where his father worked as a pullman porter and his mother as a domestic. Bradley won an athletic scholarship to UCLA, where he was a football and track star, and then joined the Los Angeles police force, serving 21 years and rising to the rank of lieutenant. He attended Southwestern Law School in the evenings and earned an LLB in 1956. Five years later he went into private law practice, and in 1963 he became the first black man elected to the City Council.

Bradley's first important action as mayor was to seek federal assistance for a $4 billion rapid transit system. Other priority projects were controlling street crime, long-range planning to limit the city's population to four million people, and reviving the city's core by attracting private investment.

Next Week: America Questions Its Schools.

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Dear Tac Vac

by Ted Jefferson

Q--I read last year where the President signed a law liberalizing VA outpatient treatment for those rated 80 percent disabled by the VA, and also that dependents of these persons were entitled to medical care of some kind. I also hear that the VA is using a plan similar to Champus for medical treatment?

A--Public Law 82,93d Congress, authorizes VA outpatient care for any nonservice-connected disability for veterans who have service-connected disabilities rated 80 percent or more. That law also authorizes VA to provide medical care for the spouse or child of a veteran who has a total permanent service-connected disability, and the survivor or child of a veteran who has died as a result of a service-connected disability. The VA program (Champ VA) is the same as the military's Champus. The wife, widow, or child must not be eligible for Champus or Medicare to qualify under Champ VA.

Q--If a serviceman is separated for physical disability and gets serverance pay, can he go to the VA and apply for disability compensation?

A--Veterans who get lump-sum disability serverance pay from the armed forces are barred by law from receiving VA disability compensation until the entire amount of their serverance pay has been repaid. You should apply to the VA for a disability rating, even though no compensation will be payable until the serverance pay has been recoupled.

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A requirement exists in the Engineering Department for one permanent employee in the Civil Engineer classification on a permanent basis. 40-hour week, with salary open based on experience and qualifications.

DUTIES

Work under the direct supervision of the Chief Engineer on major engineering projects; work on design and coordination of plans and specifications with contractors and other governmental agencies; coordinates new construction project and maintenance work with others; perform other duties as assigned.

QUALIFICATIONS

Must be a graduate Civil Engineer, licensed or able to become licensed in the State of Washington. Experience in construction and/or facility's design is desirable.

APPLICATIONS

Applications may be obtained at and returned to the Port of Tacoma Engineering Department, Room 1106 of the Tacoma Building, 11th & A Street, Tacoma, WA.

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POSTING PERIOD

August 7 through August 21, 1974

POSITION

A requirement exists in the Engineering Department for one (1) construction inspector, on a permanent basis. Work will be 40 hours/week. Salary open depending on qualifications.

DUTIES

Individual hired for this permanent position will work under the direct supervision of the construction engineer on major and/or minor construction projects. Primary duties will be construction inspector on construction projects of varying sizes and complexity. Experiences and technical training in construction are necessary. Must be able to read engineering blueprints and prepare progress reports. In addition, the individual will perform other duties as assigned. (Example: Working with survey crew, maintenance inspections, damage inspection and reports on same, etc.).

QUALIFICATIONS

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MODEL CITIES NEWS

How to Get Landlords to Make Repairs

(Note: This is the fourth article in a series on landlord-tenant rights and responsibilities. All of the information in these articles is taken from the Model Cities "Landlord-Tenant Handbook." For a copy of the handbook, call Don Hines at 593-4660.)

One question frequently asked by tenants is: What can I do if my landlord won't make repairs? (Last month's article listed the repairs a landlord is required to make.)

Two alternatives are fairly obvious.

First you can find a new apartment. All you need to do is give written notice that repairs have not been made and move out of the apartment. As soon as you give notice, you are free of any responsibility for rent payments. If you have payed in advance, you are entitled to a refund beginning with the day you left.

Second you can take legal action to get the repairs made.

The new Landlord-Tenant Act passed by the legislature last session has another alternative for getting repairs made.

The first step is to notify the landlord in writing that a certain repair needs to be made. If the landlord does not make the repair, the tenant can get two bids from responsible workmen and deliver the bids to the landlord, in person or by registered mail.

If the landlord continues to neglect the repairs and a reasonable amount of time has passed, the tenant can hire the lowest bidder to make the repairs. The tenant pays the bill and deducts the cost from his rent. The total deduction for a year cannot be more than one month's rent.

When the repairs will cost less than one-half a month's rent, and the work does not require a licensed or registered workman, the tenant can do the work and deduct the cost from his rent.

If the tenant damages property trying to make repairs, the landlord can recover the actual damages.

This provision does not prevent the landlord from making a mutual agreement to make repairs.

Next month look for this column to find out what are the responsibilities of a tenant.

Model Cities Participating in Technology Day

Model Cities will be joining other city departments on Aug. 21-23 to demonstrate how technology is being used in city operations.

The Model Cities demonstration will be held at Wilson High School Cafeteria from 10 a.m. to noon on Aug. 21. Model Cities will show how it is using a systems approach to neighborhood development. Comprehensive planning, evaluation processes, citizen participation, and projects will also be shown at the demonstration.

The next two days of the Technology Day will be filled with tours of new facilities in city departments such as the communications center and the data processing center.

If people had better reasons for getting married, there wouldn't be so many reasons for divorce.

New Income Guidelines for Grants

Model Cities Housing Development Program and the Municipal Authority have adopted new income guidelines for awarding grants for home rehabilitation.

The following table shows the maximum income for a family to receive a housing grant:

Family Size	Income
1	$2,330
2	3,070
3	3,810
4	4,550
5	5,290
6	6,030
7	6,770

For families larger than seven members, add $740 per member.

The Municipal Authority was expected to meet Wednesday to make final arrangements for its first loan and to work out two applications with mortgage and deed problems.

One of the services offered by the Municipal Authority board is clearing homeowners' titles of any claims. Each applicant's title is examined and all judgments, liens, back payments or taxes are worked out before rehabilitation begins. Many homeowners do not even know that someone has a claim against their home, and the MA is clearing up these problems for the housing applicants.

IF A EQUALS success, the formula is A=X+Y+Z. X is work. Y is play. Z is keeping your mouth shut.

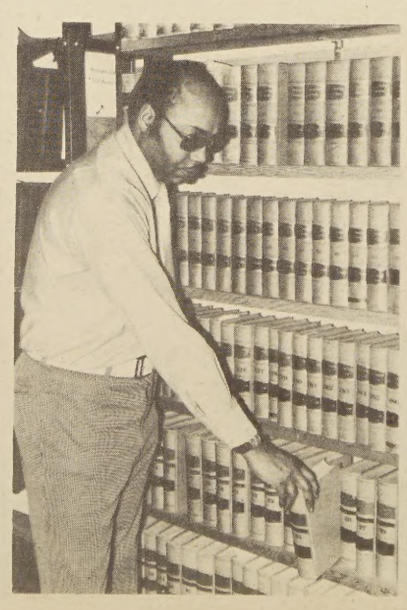
ALBERT EINSTEIN

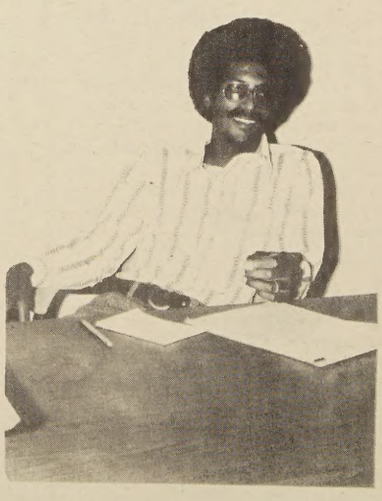
MODEL CITIES MEANS SERVICES

Public Defender

744 S. Market
572-5311

Legal counsel for low-income persons accused of misdemeanors.





Progress House

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272-2415

Community corrections facility for adult, male offenders.

Drug Service System

1306 S. K St.
MA7-3131

Drug abuse counseling and referral.

MODEL CITIES NEWS

Model Cities Plans One Year Extension

The Model Cities Executive Board decided on Thursday to extend the Tacoma Model Cities Program through 1975.

The board set aside $151,000 for projects and $290,000 for staff, administration, and citizen participation to continue the program through December, 1975. Only two projects received specific allocations from the funds set aside for projects. Public Defender received $16,000 and Progress House $10,000 to be used as a local match for state law and justice grants.

Board members indicated a desire for increased citizens participation, so they added $15,000 to the recommended citizens involvement budget to allow for additional seminars and conferences. The board extended the task forces and executive board in their current forms through 1975.

Plans to extend Model Cities through 1975 are dependant on what the city does with its community development revenue sharing funds. The board made its recommendations on the speculation that a total of $753,000 will be available to Model Cities over the next year. A Housing and Urban Development grant of $202,000 is firm, but $351,000 will have to be borrowed from the community development funds if the full amount is to be available. A previous grant of $200,000 has not been allocated as yet. It must be used for system improvement and new technology. The board has several proposals under consideration and will allocate the funds within the next few months.

The board also gave its nominations and elections committee the authority to begin planning for the annual elections to be held in September. Five elected members' terms of office will expire this fall. They are Ruth Daniels, Beulah Rankin, Mary Tate, Nancy McIntyre, and Deloris Brown. Director Keith Palmquist has asked Mayor Gordon Johnston to make his appointments prior to the election so the appointed members can run for office if not reappointed. Appointed members whose terms expire in September are Frank Bennett, Robert Dilger, and Charlotte Valbert. One other appointed position is still vacant.

The committee will work out the details for the election, and the board will consider the final arrangements at a future meeting.

IF YOU PLANT a tree, don't keep pulling it up by the roots to see how it's growing.

MODEL CITIES MEANS SERVICES

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622 Tacoma Ave. S.
593-4660

Home rehabilitation assistance.

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383-5053

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272-4441

Tutoring for elementary school children who are behind in school.

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Medical care and referral for low-income families.